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SUBJ: TRANSIT OF SUEZ CANAL

1. U.S. CITIZEN, JOHN B. ORR, NOW IN MOMBASA, WISHES TO SAIL HIS U.S. REGISTERED YACHT "ASTRAEA" THROUGH SUEZ CANAL IN MID-APRIL. YACHT IS 44 FT. IN LENGTH, HAS A BEAM OF 11.5 FT. AND DRAFT OF 7.5 FT., DISPLACES 22 TONS. UNDER POWER BOAT CAPABLE OF 5.5 KNOTS.

2. WILL SUEZ CANAL BE OPEN TO SUCH TRAFFIC BY MID-APRIL? IF SO, ARE ADVANCE ARRANGEMENTS NECESSARY?

3. IF IT NOT KNOWN AT THIS TIME WHETHER TRANSIT OF CANAL IN MID-APRIL WILL BE POSSIBLE, MR. ORR CAN DELAY SAILING DECISION UNTIL MID-MARCH BUT INTERIM REPLY REQUESTED.
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